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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 7190

BILL NUMBER: HB 1531

NOTE PREPARED: Jan 5, 2005

BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Academic Bill of Rights at State Universities.

FIRST AUTHOR: Rep. Messer

FIRST SPONSOR:

BILL STATUS: As Introduced

FUNDS AFFECTED: X GENERAL
DEDICATED
FEDERAL

IMPACT: State

Summary of Legislation: The bill requires the boards of trustees at public colleges and universities to develop guidelines and implement an Academic Bill of Rights.

Effective Date: July 1, 2005.

Explanation of State Expenditures: The bill would add indeterminable administrative cost for boards of trustees to develop academic guidelines that address political and religious beliefs. The additional administrative time required to develop these guidelines would likely be within the limits of existing resources of the boards.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected: State universities.

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources:

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